

# Legals

## LEGAL NOTICE FOR EA COMMENT PERIOD EAST FORK SCOTT PROJECT

The environmental assessment (EA) for the East Fork Scott Project is now available for public review. The project is intended to improve forest health and resilience in early and mid/late seral habitat; enhance meadow and oak woodland habitat for sensitive plant and large game species; protect and enhance riparian habitat and stream shade; reduce sediment input from roads and abandoned mines; and provide for firefighter and public safety. The EA analyzes the environmental consequences of the no action alternative and the proposed action as modified after the scoping period. A scoping outcome summary was developed for the East Fork Scott Project to provide information supporting the development of alternatives that were analyzed in the preparation of the environmental assessment. The draft EA, scoping outcome summary, and additional project information is available on the project webpage: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project?project=50878>.

This project is subject to comment pursuant to 36 CFR 218, Subparts A and B. Only those who submit timely project-specific written comments during a public comment period are eligible to file an objection. In order for referenced material to be considered, commenters should supply referenced literature and discuss its relevancy to the project as part of their comments. The Forest Service will accept comments on the EA for 30 days following publication of the comment period legal notice in the Siskiyou Daily News, which is the exclusive means for calculating the comment period. Commenters should not rely upon dates or time-frame information provided by any other source. It is the commenter's responsibility to ensure timely receipt of comments (36 CFR 218.25). Commenters should supply full citations to all referenced literature, and the Forest Service reserves the right to request copies from commenters of any literature cited but not provided with comment letters.

Submit electronic comments to the Klamath National Forest's project webpage: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project?project=50878> by selecting the "Comment on Project" link in the "Get Connected" group at the right hand side of the project webpage. Attachments may be in the following formats: plain text (.txt), rich text format (.rtf), Word (.doc, .docx), or portable document format (.pdf).

Written comments can be submitted by fax (530-468-1290) or mailed to Patricia Grantham, AITN/Majja Meneks, 11263 North Hwy 8, Fort Jones, CA 96032, or hand-delivered during normal business hours (8am to 4:30pm Monday-Friday, excluding holidays). Comments received, including the names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record on this proposal and will be available for public review (40 CFR 1501.7 and 1508.22; Forest Service Handbook 1909.15, Section 21). For more project information contact team lead Majja Meneks at 530-468-1272, or